



**75  
YEARS**

of  
Continuous  
Club Activity!

**W9RH**

CLUB CALL

For Information on HAM RADIO or Our Club - CALL **466-HAMS**

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**NEXT MEETING**

**NOV-1992**

The next meeting of the Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club will be held on Friday, November 27, 1992 at the Wauwatosa Savings and Loan on 75th and State at 7:30 PM. The doors open around 7:00 for the usual preliminary rag chew. The program at this meeting will be: a video tape about a project to install an amateur TV camera and transmitter in a balloon and use them to transmit pictures back to earth.

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**FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK:**

I hope you will find time after the Big Bird Day to come to our November meeting. It's on Friday, November 27th, at 7:30 P.M. This was the only November date open at the Wauwatosa Savings and Loan. For those of you enjoying a four day weekend, have fun. Remember, however that we would like to see you at the meeting.

**Also Please note:**

- 1) The holiday party is also on its way. There will be door prizes, good food, music and a chance to get the YL or XYL out to start the holiday festivities.
- 2) Please take some time to fill out the Repeater Questionnaire. Your response is needed so we can determine what

the majority would like us to do.

- 3) The table at Friendly Fest was not used by very many club members. Should we continue to do this? Your response is needed, so speak up.
- 4) Please remember to get in your dues and Christmas party reservations.

See you at the Friday November meeting and at the Christmas Party.

73

*Ed Wille*

Ed - W9PWG

President



**THANKSGIVING DAY**

## MILWAUKEE AREA NET INFORMATION

DAY	TIME	MHZ	ACTIVITY
MON	9:00 PM	146.670	ARES Net (Milwaukee-Waukesha)
MON	9:00 PM	50.160	6 Mtr. General Net
TUE	9:00 PM	145.130	MAARS Roundtable
WED	8:00 PM	28.365	10-10 International (Milwaukee Ch.)
THU	9:00 PM	50.160	6 Mtr. General Interest Net
THU	9:00 PM	146.910	Computer Net
FRI	9:00 PM	28.400	W9RH on the air MRAC Club Station Net
SUN	10:00 AM	443.800	FM-38 Link to 146.88 Baraboo SWAP Net
SUN	8:00 PM	28.365	10-10 International (Milwaukee Ch.)
SUN	8:00 PM	146.910	Information Net
SUN	9:00 PM	146.910	Swap Net

The 2 meter frequencies are -600khz offset FM repeaters. FM38 is +5 Mhz offset, tone 114.8. The 10 meter frequencies are upper sideband (USB). If there are additions, changes, or corrections to this list, please contact Pancho KA90FA.

### Editor's Note

Thanksgiving is again upon us. I would like to give thanks for HAM radio and the many friends it has brought me along with the opportunity to edit this - your newsletter. They (Ham radio, friends and the newsletter) have given a lot to be thankful for.

Again thanks for the opportunities.

Thanks & 73's

*Pancho*  
Pancho KA90FA

p.s. Please keep the news rolling in.  
p.p.s. Dont forget sign up for the Holiday get - together by DEC 10<sup>th</sup>.



### MRAC Club Phone

For information about Amateur Radio, Ham Exams and Milwaukee Radio Amateur's Club call our new club phone. The number is:

## 466-HAMS

We now have some business cards with our new Club phone no., etc. Get some to give your friends who may be interested in becoming a ham.



## FCC HAM RADIO EXAMS

### Tuesday Exams

All Grades - MRAC VEC

Third Tues. of each month at 6:30 pm  
11709 W. Cleved Ave. West Allis, WI

### Saturday Exams

Last Saturday of Each Month  
at 8:30 am

at Wauwatosa S&L

7500 W. State St. Wauwatosa

### SWAT TEAM Exams

2nd SAT of each month

at 1:00pm

Wauwatosa S&L

6560 S. 27th ST.

Oak Creek, WI

Bring your license (if any) and 2 copies  
also the same for CSCE's you may have.

Originals will be returned to you.

\$5.00 charge except for Novice exams.

### MRAC-VEC

Walk-ins are welcome, but preregistration is requested if possible. To register in advance, send a post card on which you have printed the grade of license for which you are applying, your name, address and telephone number to:

c/o Jack Krause-W9JK  
1737 N. 116th St.  
Wauwatosa, WI 53226

c/o Ed Seruga-KE9JJ  
or 3840 S. 43rd St.  
Milwaukee, WI 53220

For more information on Exams call:

Jack Krause W9JK (414) 774-6999  
Ed Seruga KE9JJ (414) 545-6299

or

(414) 466-HAMS



**REGISTER NOW!**  
to attend the  
**The M.R.A.C. CHRISTMAS PARTY**  
at **MAXIM'S**  
on **December 19, 1992**  
\$12.50 per plate



Name \_\_\_\_\_ Call \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_ X \$12.<sup>50</sup> = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please send in  
your reservations by  
**THU - DEC 10, 1992**  
and send it to:



**Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club**  
P .O. Box 25707  
Milwaukee, WI 53225  
Attention: Orv Stewart - WA9ONQ

Please, make  
checks payable  
to **M.R.A.C.**

**SIGN UP NOW!**  
for the  
**MRAC CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Date: .....**SAT, December 19, 1992**  
Location: .....**Maxim's II Restaurant**  
**1657 S. 108th Street**  
**West Allis, Wisconsin**  
**53214**  
**774-9656**  
Time: .....**Free beer and cash bar**  
**Open at 6:00 P.M.**  
**Dinner at 7:00 P.M.**  
Food choice: .....**Roast sirloin, chicken,**  
**ham, potatoes with**  
**gravy or oven browned,**  
**and coffee.**  
Entertainment.... **Singing Music Machine**  
Price: ..... **\$12.50 per plate**

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**ENTERTAINMENT AND DOOR PRIZES**

Please, send in your reservations, NOW.  
We have made reservations for 80 people.  
If you like, YOU may donate a door prize  
(an old 807, your OM or XYL).  
See page 5 of this newsletter for sign up form.

**H. CHARLES KAETEL**  
**AMATEUR RADIO SCHOOL**

Charles Katel HamSchool started October 21, 1992 at 7:00 - 9:00 pm. and runs for eight weeks at 84<sup>th</sup> and Oklahoma. Right now we are offering classes for Novice and Technician classes of license preparation, but have plans for expanding our offerings in the near future. We also have plans for classes starting in January.

For more details call 466-HAMS.

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**CLUB MAILING ADDRESS**

When corresponding with the club,  
Please use our new address:

**Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club**  
**P.O. Box 25707**  
**Milwaukee, WI 53225**

# DUES

In order to receive mailings from M.R.A.C. your Dues must be paid up by DEC. 31, 1992. If your dues aren't paid by then, we must assume that you no longer wish to receive M.R.A.C. mailings and your name will be stricken from the mailing list.

### HAM BREAKFAST

The MRAC Ham Breakfast is still an on going activity. Y'all come and join us at our our HAM BREAKFAST on Saturday mornings at 8:30 o'clock. Come and be a part of the "off the air RAG CHEW" (say what you want (favorite gripe, etc.) We do have some pretty interesting discussions, the food's good, and reasonably priced.

Ham Breakfast at:

**Maxim's Restaurant**  
**9143 W. Appleton Ave.**  
(corner of 91st St. and Appleton Ave.  
near Timmerman Field).

### W9RH- TEN METER NET

The invitation is still open to meet us on the W9RH ten meter net on Friday evenings at 9:00 PM at approximately 28.4 MHZ. We're still waiting for the first novice check-in.



### ILLNESS

**KA9SFH - Jerry Thompson** was hospitalized for a short time, but, should be back home by the time this newsletter goes to press.

**W.O.W.**

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God made a few  
perfect heads.

The rest  
he put hair on.

### NEWS CONTRIBUTIONS

Articles and information for the newsletter should be received by the editor no later than the first of the month of publication. If received after the first of the month, its inclusion in that month's edition cannot be guaranteed. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Please mail submissions to:

**Hamateur Chatter**

c/o **Pancho Doneis, KA90FA**  
**1958 N. 38th St.**  
**Milwaukee, WI 53208**

You may also call me at:  
**344-4694.**

Thanks to our news contributors this month:

**KF9FA**  
**W9JK**

**W2NSD/1**

**W9PWG**  
**W9UVV**



## WAYNE GREEN'S WORLD

Wayne Green W2NSD/1 publisher and editor of 73 magazine now has a radio show of his own. It's called "Wayne Green's World". The premier program was aired on Thursday, August 6th as a part of a new lineup on the revamped Let's Talk Radio Network and touched on such subjects as national politics, the welfare system, educational travel and cooking as well as Ham Radio.

"Wayne Green's World" can be heard at 9:00 p.m. Eastern time (8:00 p.m. Central) over LTRN on GTE Spacenet III, Channel 21, 6.2 MHZ audio.

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## \*\*\*\*\* UPCOMING EVENTS \*\*\*\*\*

**MRAC General Meeting**  
**FRI - NOV 27, 1992**  
*(The day after Thanksgiving)*  
**Wauwatosa S&L**  
**Warwatosa, WI**

**Commemorating 75 YRS.**  
**MRAC**  
**Holiday Get-Together!**  
**SAT - DEC 19, 1992**  
**MAXIM's Restaurant**  
**1657 S. 108<sup>th</sup> St.**  
**West Allis, WI**

**South Bend HamFest**  
**SUN - JAN 3, 1993**  
**SOUTH BEND, IN**

**West Allis Radio Amateur**  
**Club**  
**Swapfest**  
**SUN - JAN 10, 1993**  
**Waukesha EXPO**

**Davenport Hamfest**  
**SUN - FEB 21, 1993**  
**Rock Island, IL**

**LamarsFest - 1993**  
**SUN - MAR 28, 1993**  
**Grayslake, IL**

**Cedarburg Swapfest**  
**SAT - MAY 1, 1993**  
**Cadarburg, WI**